# Mountain Weather Forecast

## Southwest Highlands

Including Ben Nevis, Glen Coe and the rest of Lochaber, Argyll including the Isles, Loch Lomond, Trossachs and Arran

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Tuesday 05 Oct 2021 until 23:59 on Wednesday 06 Oct 2021

Forecast Issued on Tuesday 05 Oct 2021 at 03:42 by Met Office Aberdeen

**Confidence:** High for general themes, lower for cloud and rain details from Thursday.

**Headline for Tuesday 05 Oct 2021:** Mainly dry and bright with some sunny spells. Very isolated showers possible.

**Mountain weather hazards on Tuesday 05 Oct 2021**

**Blizzards**
No Likelihood

**Heavy Snow**
No Likelihood

**Storm force winds**
No Likelihood

**Gales**
No Likelihood

**Severe chill effect**
Low Likelihood

**Poor visibility**
Low Likelihood

**Thunderstorms**
No Likelihood

**Heavy persistent rain**
No Likelihood

**Strong sunlight**
No Likelihood

| **Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m** | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Time | | | | | |
| 06:00 | 09:00 | 12:00 | 15:00 | 18:00 | 21:00 |
| | | | | | |
| Partly cloudy (night) | Sunny intervals | Sunny intervals | Cloudy | Partly cloudy (night) | Clear night |
| Precipitation probability | | | | | |
| <05% | <05% | 10% | 10% | 10% | <05% |

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**Weather:** Most ranges staying dry with clear or sunny spells. The odd isolated shower can't be ruled out, more likely over the Trossachs and Arran.

**Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m:** 90%.

**Visibility:** Very good. Just some patchy cloud above 900m at first in the morning but generally above summits.

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| Height (m) | Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from) | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | 06:00 | 09:00 | 12:00 | 15:00 | 18:00 | 21:00 | 00:00 |
| **1300** | 23/29 NE | 25/32 NE | 28/37 N | 26/36 N | 27/35 N | 25/32 N | 23/29 N |
| **900** | 17/23 NE | 18/24 NE | 20/28 N | 20/28 N | 18/26 N | 15/21 N | 14/20 N |
| **600** | 20/24 NE | 20/26 NE | 21/29 NE | 21/29 N | 19/26 N | 16/21 N | 14/19 N |
| **300** | 8/13 N | 11/18 N | 15/23 N | 12/19 N | 11/18 N | 7/12 N | 7/11 N |
| **Glen** | 5/12 N | 6/13 N | 11/22 N | 10/20 N | 7/16 NW | 6/14 NW | 6/12 NW |

| Height (m) | Temperature / Feels Like (°C) | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| **1300** | 1/-5 | 1/-6 | 1/-6 | 1/-6 | 0/-7 | -1/-7 | -1/-7 |
| **900** | 3/-2 | 4/-2 | 5/-0 | 5/-0 | 3/-2 | 2/-3 | 2/-3 |
| **600** | 5/1 | 6/1 | 7/2 | 7/3 | 6/2 | 5/0 | 4/1 |
| **300** | 7/4 | 7/5 | 10/7 | 10/8 | 8/5 | 6/4 | 6/3 |
| **Glen** | 8/7 | 10/8 | 12/10 | 13/11 | 10/8 | 8/6 | 7/5 |
| **Freezing Level*** | 1500m | 1400m | 1400m | 1400m | 1200m | 1200m | 1200m |

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

**Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View**
Note the low feels like temperatures at height.

**Forecast for Wednesday 06 Oct 2021**
**Weather:** Most of the day dry with some sunny periods. High cloud thickening from the southwest in the afternoon then outbreaks of rain reaching Arran by dusk and spreading to all areas in the evening, with hill fog gradually increasing.

**Maximum wind:** Northwest 15 gusts 25mph easing 10-15mph in the afternoon, then a strengthening southeasterly in the evening reaching 25 gusts 35mph by midnight.

**Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m:** 90% or more, falling 30% or less in the evening.

**Visibility:** Generally good through the day. Falling poor in the evening with cloud bases lowering to 500-800m, lower on west coast.

**Temperature:** **Glens:** A cold start starting at Plus 2 to Plus 5 rising to Plus 13 in the afternoon.
**At 800m:** Plus 5 Celsius.
**Freezing level:** Above summits

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